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## City Sponsoring Small Local Airport

### Long Cold Wave At End; Damp Weather Ahead

#### Nine-Inch Snowfall, Reading of Nine Below Outstrip Old-Timers

With the longest cold wave probably ever recorded in this vicinity now at an end (at east as far as zero temperatures are concerned) and the nine-inch snow only a memory, Hamlin people can now sit back and grow old gracefully with the knowledge that years hence they can say, "This isn't anything... you should have been here in January of '47. Why, I remember..."

Although this area has seen many cold winter spells, the recent 10-day siege in which the mercury never went above the freezing mark and dropped to below zero, is said to be the longest sustained cold period ever recorded here. Records at the Abilene weather station verify such a report as far as that immediate vicinity is concerned and it would probably apply here in Hamlin.

The thermometer at the Santa Fe depot had a low reading of five degrees below zero last Friday morning. Other reports from this section included dips to eight and nine below. The city pump station officially recorded the snowfall as nine inches, and it is said to be 10 inches at the Y-6 Ranch and other nearby areas.

The cold wave started breaking Sunday and some of the snow and ice had melted by Monday morning. Roads and streets in a slushy, muddy condition. Thawed-out water pipes and cars that had frozen and burst are now being reported from many places.

In speaking of the snow and bad road conditions, T. C. Blankinship, vocational agriculture teacher, said:

"The snow did a lot more good than harm." Wheat growers and farmers in general are jubilant about the snow blanket. A number of ranchers and cattle men, who were unprepared for such a siege, are said to have suffered cattle losses, although not extensive.

The U. S. Weather Bureau predicts damp weather for this section for the next day or to, and it was sprinkling here Thursday afternoon.

### Only Two New County Officers In Stonewall Jan. 1

Only two new officials entered Stonewall County courthouse offices at Aspermont last week, Harold S. Kenady, county and district clerk, and Thomas A. Moore, county superintendent of schools.

Field-over officials who again took oath of office before entering the duties of another term included H. H. Shadle, county judge; Bill Haskins, sheriff and tax assessor-collector; Ruth Hickman, county treasurer; T. E. Knight, county attorney; and Evin V. Gholston, J. B. Metcalf, R. O. Gibson and J. Galloay, county commissioners.

Haskins has been serving by court appointment and now enters upon his first full elective term.

Another new official serving Stonewall County is John H. Banks, a district attorney, with District Judge Ben Charlie Chapman starting a second term.

### Singing Set Sunday at Calvary Baptist Church

The semi-monthly singing meets again Sunday afternoon, January 12, with the Calvary Baptist Church, it has been announced. Everyone who likes singing is invited to attend these meetings, which are held every second and fourth Sunday afternoon each month at 2:30 o'clock.

An invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

### Cotton Ginnings Far Below Normal In 4-County Area

Cotton ginnings for this four-county area of West Texas, including reports from Jones, Fisher, Stonewall and Haskell Counties are about half of last year's ginnings, according to government figures just released. Ginnings for the four counties total 48,524 bales, compared with 12,165 bales ginned through December 13 of 1945, a difference of 36,359 bales.

Jones County cotton farmers were among the hardest hit in the state with less than a third of last year's crop ginned.

Hamlin gins report a total of 2,220 bales ginned through Thursday.

Ginnings throughout the entire area to December 13 were 1,559,754 while in December, 1945, 1,615,932 bales were ginned.

Figures for the four counties follow:

County—	1946	1945
Jones	13,840	41,564
Fisher	14,771	48,896
Stonewall	1,765	2,834
Haskell	18,148	28,871

An interesting fact noted in latest state ginning reports was the ginnings for Scurry County, which reported 16,083 bales, an increase of over 2,000 bales over the December, 1945, report.

### Pied Piper Cagers Open District Play at Haskell Last Night

Hamlin High School's Pied Pipers opened their conference race in District 5-A East last night (Thursday) at Haskell, a game that was postponed from last Friday night. Tuesday night of this week the Pipers were nosed out 40 to 35 by the Avoca quintet.

The Pipers have a busy schedule ahead with another game scheduled at Throckmorton Friday night. On Tuesday, January 14, the local cagers will play at Albany, and their first home game in the new gymnasium will be played here Thursday night, January 16, against Rule. All are conference games.

### Prowlers Advised of Penalty for Rifling of Boxes at Post Office

Following apprehension of a small boy who was rifling patrons' boxes at the Hamlin post office, the department has authorized Postmaster E. H. Sparks to remind people of this area of the severe penalty for removing mail from boxes, whether open or locked. There have been several complaints of mail being opened, according to Mr. Sparks, and the government will take all necessary steps to punish any such act.

Patrons are also urged to see that their own boxes are locked after they remove their mail. This can be done simply by shutting and twisting the combination in the opposite direction in which it is started.

### District Attorney Esco Walter Declines Post With Attorney General

Esco Walter, district attorney of the 104th Judicial District Court, composed of Jones, Fisher and Taylor Counties, has announced that he has declined to accept an appointment to the staff of Attorney General Price Daniel at Austin.

The district attorney, who became president of the County and District Attorneys Association of Texas on January 1, has just started his fourth two-year term to which he was elected last summer.

### Hamlin Boy To Exhibit At Houston Show



Gene Autry and his famed horse "Champion", shown here, will be featured at the Houston Fat Stock Show and Rodeo, January 29 through February 9. A yearling Jersey heifer will be exhibited by Joe Armstrong, student at Trent and a member of the Hamlin FFA chapter. Several other entries are expected from southern Jones County.

## Grand Jury Indicts, 13; Hamlin Murder Trial Set

Grand jurors of the 104th District Court completed their work at Anson Tuesday afternoon and in their first report a total of 13 true bills of indictment were returned, 12 for felony and one charging misdemeanor.

Several Hamlin business men were called before the body in one case in which Dude Smith and Elbert Smith, negroes, were named in four indictments each of check forgery in Hamlin. District Attorney Esco Walter revealed that both men are now in a Wichita Falls jail on similar charges.

Earl Lee Smith, Hamlin negro, charged with the murder of another negro here last year, will face his second trial on January 27. His last trial at the last session of the court resulted in a hung jury.

A Sweetwater man, as yet unarrested, was named in three indictments, two charging felony swindling by worthless checks and a third on a worthless check charge.

Felony indictments were returned against P. A. Deel and R. E. Smith, growing out of the alleged theft of a pig from G. R. Cundriff in the 5th community of Jones County.

Judge Owen Thomas called appearance docket and set cases for hearing during the term.

Following today's session, grand jurors recessed until February 17.

### Highway Department Expected to Contract 180 Paving Job Soon

As the result of a condemnation suit concluded last week at Anson, the Texas Highway Department is expected to let the contracts in a few days for the paving and improvement of Highway 100 west from Anson to the Jones-Asker County line.

The suit involved property belonging to Joe Steel and following the exhaustive hearing, the condemnation commission awarded him \$1 damages and cost of proceedings were assessed against the City of Anson.

Attorneys for the defendant immediately filed notice of appeal on the amount of the award. Retiring County Judge Gilbert Smith announced, however, that the appeal would not retard in any way the letting of contracts or actual construction.

Following the hearing, Judge Smith entered an order of condemnation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joiner Jr. of Abilene spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Joiner.

## Cold Weather Damages Some Crops; Slows Receipts of Farm Products

Cold weather late last week damaged some crops and curtailed receipts of most farm products at southwest markets, according to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration received by The Herald. Year-end dullness prevailed and prices were generally unchanged from a week earlier.

Little trading was done in shelled or farmers' stock peanuts last week. Department of Agriculture national average price to farmers was 8.89 cents per pound as of December 15, compared with 9.53 for November 15. Official parity price remained at 10-20 cents.

Unfavorable weather conditions in most southwest areas caused extremely light poultry and eggs receipts last week. Friday's prices were very little changed from a week earlier and demand continued fairly good. Current receipt eggs were quoted 36-1-2 to 43 cents a dozen in Dallas; 38 to 41-1-2 in Fort Worth; and 33 to 37-1-2 in Denver. Heavy hens brought 22 to 24 cents per pound in Denver; 24 to 26 in Fort Worth; and 25 in Dallas.

Improved demand for grain late last week tempered holiday dullness early in the period. Relatively large receipts at terminals reflected efforts to move grain before January 1 freight increases. Most cash prices were slightly lower than a week earlier.

Friday's closing prices on middling cotton were around 50 cents to \$1.00 per bale higher than a week earlier, and discounts on the lower grades narrowed considerably. Friday's spot prices for middling 15-16 inch were 33.20 at Dallas and 33.25 at Houston and New Orleans. Cottonseed prices were about unchanged.

Cattle were generally steady to 50 cents and \$1.00 higher than a week earlier. Medium grass fat and short fed steers brought \$1.10 to \$20.25 at San Antonio. The bulk of medium to good slaughter steers brought \$18 to \$23 at Fort Worth and Wichita, and \$19 to \$24.50 at Denver. Medium grass fat and short fed steers realized \$17 to \$20.25 at San Antonio, and medium and good short fed steers and yearlings sold freely from \$18 to \$22 at Oklahoma City.

## Flying School Possibility; Office Building Purchased

### Oil Activity Picks Up After Lull Due To Cold Weather

Oil operators in this West Texas area are slowly beginning to speed up their operations following virtual shutdown the past 10 or 12 days during the longest sustained cold wave to hit this section in many years. Even at that, sloppy roads caused by melting snow and ice will hamper work at many outlying locations and retard opening of operations at new locations, oil men say.

Very few rigs have been running in this area and even "shooting" crews have been very inactive in the area. All activity should be running again at top speed within the next week, at least.

For the Cooper-Roberts pool in Jones County, S. B. Roberts is to drill the No. 2 J. J. Steele, a 2,400-foot cable tool well 330 feet from the south and 990 from the east line of the northwest quarter of Section 29, Block 15, T. & P. Survey.

In eastern Jones County, three miles north of Lueders, Jack H. Moore is to drill the No. 2 Minnie L. King, a 1,700-foot cable tool project located 720 feet from the south and 775 from the west line of W. Smith Survey.

### VFW Cage Team Has New Suits; Lose in First Game of Year

The recently organized basketball team of the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars lost its first game Tuesday night to Paint Creek, 55 to 32. It was the only time the team had worked out together, but they have high hopes of having an outstanding team. Veterans eligible for the team who want to play are asked to see Dawson McCoy.

The team is now equipped with nice uniforms in VFW colors paid by the following business firms: McCoy Brothers, Hamlin Motor Company, Duncan Foods, Hamlin Herald, Waggoner Drug, Limit Cafe, F. & M. Bank, Lewis Wheat & Son, S. & W. Stores, Bryant-Link Company, R. B. Spencer Lumber Company, Western Auto Store, Gardner's Tire & Auto Supply.

### Last Rites for W. R. Wilkerson, 65, Held Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon for W. R. Wilkerson, 65, who passed away Saturday in a Rotan hospital of a heart attack, following a week's illness. Rev. John Osteen conducted the rites, assisted by Rev. Dan Jones.

Interment was in East Cemetery. A native of Greenville, Mr. Wilkerson was born August 15, 1881, and came to Jones County in 1901. He was in the grocery business here for several years until he retired several months ago.

He is survived by his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Lowell Ballew; and a granddaughter, Jonita Ballew.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Parker and children, Molene, Lowell and Gordon of Los Angeles, California spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Parker and sisters, Mr. Maberry of McCauley. Also visit-and Mrs. D. Branscum, Mr. and Mrs. James Branscum and Mrs. J. W. King Mr. and Mrs. Parker was his daughter, Mrs. Wanda Sowell of Fort Worth and son, Cecil Graham of Abilene.

Mrs. Floyd McCoy is to be brought home Friday from the home of her husband's parents at Winters. McCoy reports she is recovering nicely from an appendectomy performed at an Abilene hospital Monday night of last week.

### Air Field Located in North End of Town, Will Be Opened Soon

Hamlin joined the ever-growing list of Texas towns and cities providing facilities for private and commercial fliers this week, with the announcement Thursday by the citizens committee that has been working on the project that an airport would be opened here for permanent operation and use of the public.

The project is sponsored by the City of Hamlin, and no great expenditure of money is being made, it was said. The city was high bidder on a building, 30x48, at Camp Berkeley at Abilene, this week and will move it to the field at once for use as an office and classroom.

Negotiations are said to be underway for operation of a flight training school here, featuring largely GI training. A statement on this phase of the program will be released later, it was said. It is planned that operators of the school and field will furnish a small hangar and repair shop.

The field is located in the north part of Hamlin, less than a mile from downtown, and is inside the city limits. It is the tract of land commonly used for this purpose at various times in the past. It faces a part of the Aspermont highway and is only a short distance from the Katy depot. The buildings will be erected near the Medford Carter residence.

An inspector from the Civil Aeronautics Authority is expected to be here next week to look over the field. The field has four runways which will be graded soon, and it is felt CAA approval will be routine.

## F. & M. National Statement Reveals Continued Growth

Statement of condition of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin at the close of business on December 31 reveals that the local banking institution continues to enjoy a steady growth.

Deposits have reached an all-time high of \$3,588,018.75, a slight increase over the last statement in September when deposits were \$3,561,492.62. Total liabilities are now \$3,715,283.07, compared with \$3,601,519.04 of that date. Loans and discounts are \$797,810.59, and in September they were \$748,700.73. A complete detailed statement is published elsewhere in this issue of The Herald.

Bank officials are rightfully proud of the part their business plays in the affairs of this section.

### Al Johnson Passes Twice for Scores in Alamo Bowl Victory

A former Hamlin Pied Piper, Captain Al Johnson of the Hardin-Simmons University championship, undefeated Cowboy football team, played a big part in the team's final triumph of the season at the Alamo Bowl in San Antonio last Saturday.

Little All-American "Doc" Mobley sewed up the game in the fourth quarter after a previous touchdown by taking a lateral pass from Johnson and sprinting 18 yards for the tee-dee. Another Cowboy score in the third stanza came when Johnson hurled a pass to End Jack Boles, good for seven yards and the score.

Two other Hamlin lads, Bill Scott and Jack Ellison, also saw considerable service in the game at San Antonio.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope were their daughters, Mrs. Richard Hinkle and family of Midland, and Mrs. George I. Kinney and husband if Stamfird and Mrs. Pope's sister, Miss Irma Sierler of Tulsa.



Mr. and Mrs. John Sewell of Mine- ents, west of Hamlin. Mrs. Sewell  
ola have been here visiting her par- was the former Betty George.



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Credit facilities and services formerly provided by the Farm Security Administration and the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan division of the FSA are available to Stonewall and Haskell County farmers at the Haskell office which serves farmers in both counties.

Robert C. Pone, Haskell and Stonewall County supervisor for the FSA is interim supervisor with offices in the Haskell County courthouse, according to an announcement from State Director L. J. Cappelman.

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**Celotex to Tell  
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Henry W. Collins, vice president of the Celotex Corporation which operates a large gypsum mill near Hamlin, has announced the appointment of Henri, Hurst & McDonald, Inc. of Chicago as the company's advertising agency, effective January 1, 1947.

Mr. Collins stated that plans are in preparation for an extensive ad-

vertising campaign on all Celotex products including Acousti-Celotex and Insulation Board, together with new products the company will introduce to the market during the coming year.

The Celotex Corporation is expanding its manufacturing facilities extensively, both through additions to its properties and by acquisition of existing plants. A large number of improvements and additions are being made to the local plant.

Little Miss Mica Holitzke of Dayton is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Elkins. Her mother Mrs. Pete Holitzke, the former Faye Elkins, is with their sister, Mrs. E. C. Beene and baby son, born New Years at Sweetwater.

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juice Treesweet Orange Juice	No. 2 Can	25¢	6 Cans For	73¢
juice Full O'Gold Orange Juice	No. 2 Can	10¢	6 Cans For	59¢
juice Full O'Gold Orange Juice	46-Oz. Can	49¢	6 Cans For	\$1.35
juice Apricot Orange	No. 2 Can	10¢	6 Cans For	59¢
juice Mott's Apple Juice	2 Qt. Bots.	53¢	6 Bots. For	\$1.55
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**CANNED FRUITS**

Blackberries Clarksville	No. 2 Can	49¢	6 Cans For	\$1.43
Cocktail Hostess Delight, Fruit	No. 2 1/2 Cans	35¢	3 Cans For	99¢
Peaches Highway Extra Standard	No. 2 1/2 Cans	27¢	6 Cans For	\$1.59
Peaches Rio Rita	No. 2 1/2 Cans	45¢	6 Cans For	\$1.29
Apricots Valley Gold Whole Unp.	No. 2 1/2 Cans	27¢	3 Cans For	79¢
Cherries Red Sour Pitted	No. 2 Can	37¢	6 Cans For	\$2.15
Plums Pearl's Fresh Plums	No. 2 1/2 Cans	45¢	6 Cans For	\$1.29
Pears Highway Extra Standard	No. 2 1/2 Cans	39¢	3 Cans For	\$1.15
Grapefruit Carlton Sections	No. 2 Can	37¢	6 Cans For	\$1.05
Peaches Green Bow Yellow Cling	No. 2 1/2 Cans	55¢	6 Cans For	\$1.59
Preserves Colonial Strawberry	16-Oz. Jar	59¢	3 Jars For	\$1.75



Pickles Magic Sour or Dill Nips	24-Oz. Jar	10¢	6 Jars For	59¢
Beans Gardenside Cut Green	No. 2 Can	27¢	6 Cans For	79¢
Beans Mountain Fresh French Green	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Beans Highway Pork and Beans	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	85¢
Beans Delco Dry Lima Beans	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Peas Luce or Fresh Blackeye Peas	No. 2 Can	37¢	6 Cans For	\$1.05
Peas Gardenside Early June	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Niblets Del Mais Whole Kernel Corn	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Spinach Gardenside Standard	No. 2 Can	10¢	6 Cans For	59¢
Greens Mustard or Turnip	No. 2 Can	19¢	6 Cans For	55¢
Beets Lakeside Diced Beets	No. 2 Can	10¢	6 Cans For	57¢
Catsup Red Hill Tomato	13 1/2-Oz. Bot.	21¢	6 Bots. For	\$1.25
Veg-All Larsen's Mixed Veggies.	No. 2 Can	35¢	6 Cans For	99¢
Corn Highway, Vac. Pack Whole Kernel	No. 2 Can	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Corn Country Home Whole Kernel	No. 2 Can	35¢	6 Cans For	99¢
Sauerkraut Franks	No. 2 1/2 Cans	29¢	6 Cans For	85¢
Pumpkin Moon Brand	No. 2 1/2 Can	19¢	3 Cans For	55¢
Catsup C. H. E. Tomato	14-Oz. Bot.	21¢	6 Bots. For	\$1.25
Pickles Pickled Dill Chips	16-Oz. Jar	10¢	6 Jars For	59¢

**MISCELLANEOUS FOODS**

Soup Phillips' Chicken & Noodle	2 10-Oz. Cans	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Rice Dinner Royal Dutch	2 10 1/2-Oz. Cans	25¢	6 Cans For	73¢
Luncheon Black Hawk Spiced	12-Oz. Can	39¢	3 Cans For	\$1.15
Chili Van Camp's Plain Chili	17-Oz. Jar	33¢	3 Jars For	95¢
Sardines Avalon Natural	2 15-Oz. Cans	29¢	6 Cans For	83¢
Milk Borden's Silver Cow, Evaporated	2 Tall Cans	25¢	6 Cans For	75¢

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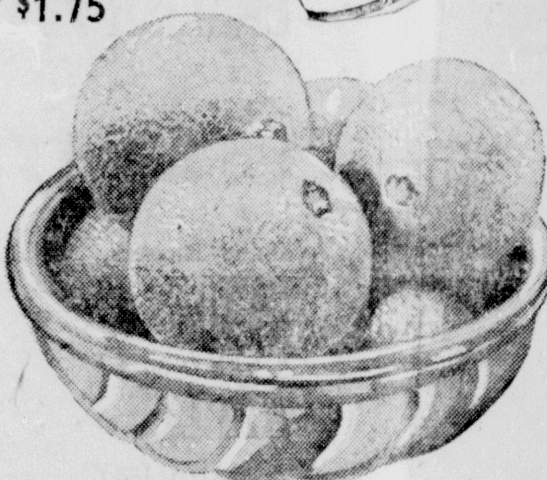
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59¢



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# SOCIETY

## Wedding at Four Square Church Unites Couple On December 29

The Four Square Gospel Church "Love Day" and the wedding was the scene of a beautiful formal wedding with a festive ring ceremony Sunday evening, December 29, at 8:30 o'clock, when Rev. Harris F. Pearce and Rebecca Lee (Gowdy) Tate were united in marriage by the groom's father, Rev. William F. Pearce, in the presence of more than 100 friends and relatives.

The couple stood beneath an archway of greenery and flowers with a large basket of flowers at each side of the arch. Silver candle holders stood on either side, each holding seven beautiful white candles.

Freddie Lee of Stamford played

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The bride was given away by her father.

She wore a rose-gray gown with a pale pink velvet collar and cuffs, and a long gold cross given to her by the groom. She carried a white Rose Tree covered with white chrysanthemums and pink rose buds, with a shower of white satin ribbon streamers and lace.

The maid of honor, Rev. Lucille Tate, wore a pink and white dress with black accessories and carried a white Rose Tree.

Flight Patterns, as Marie Johnson, the bride's cousin, served as best man. The bride's brother, Bruce Brown, and his friend, J. B. May, were candle bearers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. A three-day wedding cake and punch were served. The cake was decorated with a chocolate centerpiece with fern and a miniature bride and groom in the center flanked with four white candles.

Rev. Lucille Tate and Mrs. B. Brown served as hostesses.

Mrs. Pearce attended Hamlin High School and a business college in Abilene. Before her marriage she was employed at a local telephone office. The groom, formerly co-owner of a mother's from Byrnes, Texas, where the couple plan to make their home.

North Africa is plagued by one of the darkest complexion but of white blood, called the Hamitic group.

Typewriters that write in 25 languages are now being made in this country.

## RECENT BRIDE



MRS. GUY T. WHITE

Before her recent marriage Mrs. White was the former Charlene Peynghaus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson Beasley of Hamlin. The couple is making their home here.

## Charlene Peynghaus, and Guy T. White United In Marriage

Charlene Peynghaus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson Beasley of Hamlin, and Guy Theiron White, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. White of Hamlin, were united in marriage at Abilene early in December.

Mrs. White was educated in the Baptist College at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. During the war she worked for the civil service as a censor at Washington, D. C.

Mr. White is just back from the Army. He served with the Medical Corps in Africa, Italy and France.

The couple is making their home here in Hamlin.

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## Woman's Literary Club Elects Officers, Observes Federation Day

The Woman's Literary Club met in the home of Mrs. Art Carmichael Friday to observe Federation Day and for election of officers for the 1947-48 club year.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. O. D. Roland, and after the club collect was given in unison, a brief business session as held. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Tarlton Willingham, president; Mrs. Jim H. King, first vice president; Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, recording secretary; Mrs. Clyde Angel, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. J. Whaley, reporter; Mrs. O. D. Roland, parliamentarian; Mrs. James E. Simmons, critic; Mrs. Henry Albritton, musician; Mrs. H. O. Cassle, librarian.

After roll call Mrs. H. O. Cassle, program director for the day, gave a paper compiled by the three members who hold the oldest membership in the club—Mrs. Bowen Pope, Mrs. H. O. Cassle and Mrs. W. A. Albritton—and written by Mrs. Bowen

Pope. The paper was called "History of the Woman's Literary Club," dating back to the first club in 1908 and tracing the club to the present date. Many interesting incidents were brought out that are near and dear to club members, and this paper will be kept in the club library as valuable information for the future Woman's Literary Club.

After an informal period of asking questions concerning past club work, the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Henry Pitzer of Chickasha, Oklahoma, was a guest.

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**FCC Issues License For Stamford Radio**

David Ratliff of Abilene has been granted a license by the Federal Communication to operate a 250 watt radio station at Stamford. It has been revealed. Call letters KD-WT have been assigned to the station on a frequency of 1400 kilocycles. The tower is to be located on the Avoca highway, southeast of the city, with actual operation of the station not expected to start for six months or longer, it is said.

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**SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS**

Five additional conservation plans were signed into district agreements in December by Jim McCulloch, chairman of the board.

Acting in the absence of the board, which did not have their regular meeting because the date coincided with Christmas, McCulloch approved the following plans: Mrs. W. M. Carlton, 630 acres; Eben Shuquist, 165; E. W. Rosenquist, 163; Mrs. William Brewstedt, 143; and Mrs. Lena Quade, 954.

These agreements brought the number of plans accepted by the supervisors of the California Creek district in 1946 to 129 covering 73,169 acres.

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The underground season looks very promising for winter legumes, and small grains, in this district as indicated by the rainfall records of last year even without considering the snowfall of this year.

The precipitation for the last five months of 1946 exceeded the average for this period by nearly five inches. The rainfall received in these five months represented 64 per cent of last year's total. The 1946 total precipitation was 24.33 inches.

The fifteen year average annual precipitation for Stamford as recorded by the Swenson Land and Cattle Company is 25.49 inches. The six month period, May through October averaged 67.41 per cent of the annual total over these years. The three months, May, June and September, in descending order of precipitation produced 41.91 per cent of the average total.

The highest month of rainfall recorded during these fifteen years was October of 1941 with 10.61 inches, and the highest last year was August with 5.00 inches. Of this fifteen year record there were 22 months showing no rainfall.

Visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phillips during the holidays were Mrs. W. F. Looney, Lubbock, Mrs. Maude Medlin, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Gould and children, Floyd Neal and Alton Gene, of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Tompkins and children, Billie Faye, George Phillip and Jack Ivan of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Medlin and children, Shirley and Donnie Mack of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ewing and children Clinton and Erma Ruth of Longworth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Holton and son, Tommy, from Abilene are making their home in Hamlin.

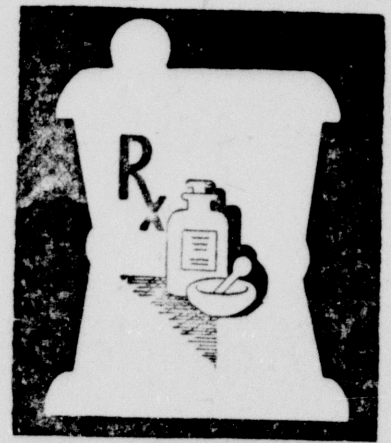
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**GOSPEL OF CHRIST**

**God Is Not the Author of Confusion**

All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (II Timothy 3:16-17). Since all scripture is given of God and there is no confusion therein, it is the height of folly to try to put one passage from the Bible in opposition to another. All scripture is like a vast jigsaw puzzle in that each part when employed in proper relation to all other parts fits into the picture easily, without being forced, and without distortion, and when all its beauty and unity of composition. Thus, grace, which is God's part, is not antagonistic to faith, which is man's part; and works, without which faith is dead (James 2:17), is certainly not in discord with the rest of the picture, but is vital to it.—J. C. Scott, Minister, Church of Christ.

(To be continued) (Paid adv.)

Tennie Joe Robbins of San Pedro, California, David P. Gragg of Los Angeles and Carroll E. McKay of Wamego, Kansas were visiting in the Earl Crow home Saturday. They were returning to Kansas State College at Manhattan after spending the holidays in California. Horace Crow accompanied them back to school from here.

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**HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES**

In these days of high prices just about all of us are looking for ways to serve appetizing meals at less cost. Edith Lawrence, food preparation specialist of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, has a few money-saving tips that you may want to remember when you go to the grocery store.

In buying canned vegetables or fruits, choose standard packs. They are less expensive than choice or fancy packs, and are just as high in food value. In the same way, grade B and C eggs, although not as high in quality, are as nutritious as grade A eggs and can be used for many purposes.

Commercial and utility grades of beef, when properly cooked, can make dishes just as appetizing as the more expensive grades of meat. Kidneys or pork lamb liver are usually good bargains, says Miss Lawrence.

When evaporated and dried milk are cheaper than fluid milk, try to use them at least part of the time. Cream is an expensive food—so for economy, use top milk on cereals and puddings. Evaporated milk also can be used this way.

Learn to use the leafy tops of young beets or turnips. These vegetables, as well as spinach, mustard greens and collards are good, cheap

sources of vitamin A, and are also high in iron content.

When citrus fruits and juices are high, you can give the family its supply of vitamin C by serving raw cabbage or turnips or tomatoes and tomato juice. Weight for weight, raw cabbage gives about the same amount of vitamin C as orange or grapefruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope, former publishers of The Herald, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hinkle and son, Harry Bowen of Midland, returned Sunday from an extensive trip to Mr. Pope's old home at Carthage, Tennessee and to Mr. Hinkle's home at Lumburg, Tennessee. While in the trip they also visited in Alabama, Florida, Mississippi and New Orleans, Louisiana. It was the first time that Mr. Pope had visited in his boyhood community in over 56 years.

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FOR SALE—1936 Chevrolet coupe, with pick-up bed made on it. A-1 shape, radio.—Floyd Bevels. 9-2c

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FOR SALE—Good milk cow, young calf, planter and shaver for Ford tractor; cheap.—O. L. Cooper, one-half mile northwest of Fairview Church. 1p

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At the close of business on December 31, 1946, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

**ASSETS**

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection.....	\$1,373,009.35
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed....	1,448,378.15
Obligations of states and political subdivisions.....	3,015.69
Other bonds, notes and debentures.....	25,007.55
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank).....	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,956.18 overdrafts)...	\$57,871.33
Bank premises owned.....	\$3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	2,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking premises.....	1.00
Total Assets.....	\$3,715,283.07

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	\$3,372,960.44
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	28,282.99
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	23,318.58
Deposits of states and political subdivisions.....	127,326.49
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.).....	35,690.15
Total Deposits.....	\$3,588,078.65
Total Liabilities.....	\$3,588,078.65

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Capital stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$40,000.00..	40,000.00
Surplus.....	70,000.00
Undivided profits.....	17,204.42
Total Capital Accounts.....	127,204.42
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts.....	\$3,715,283.07

**MEMORANDUM**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes.....\$ 210,000.00

State of Texas, County of Jones, ss:

I, Clyde R. Angel, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—Clyde R. Angel, Cashier.

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## NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Because of bad weather there has  
been no school since the holidays.

Mrs. Carrie Eoff and Clayton Eoff  
returned Saturday from Fort Worth  
where they attended the funeral of  
Mrs. Eoff's brother, Town Wright.  
Mr. Wright was fatally injured in a  
fall at Fort Worth last Tuesday evening.  
He was buried at Salem in Hill  
County.

Mrs. J. W. Turner has been ill in a  
Rotan hospital the past week.  
Mary Ann King is recovering from  
an attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mauldin visited  
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Perkins are now  
occupying the E. C. Smith residence.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maberry of Mc-  
Caulley visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert  
Maberry Monday evening.

The Brewers are in Abilene visiting  
their daughter and son and their  
families.

James (Buddy) Montgomery is  
working in Abilene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Allred and  
baby were in Sylvester Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maberry were  
in Abilene Tuesday at the auction  
sale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell were  
in Sweetwater Monday on business.

William Wasworth was in Sweet-  
water Monday.

Jackie Dale Turner, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Turner has been ill the  
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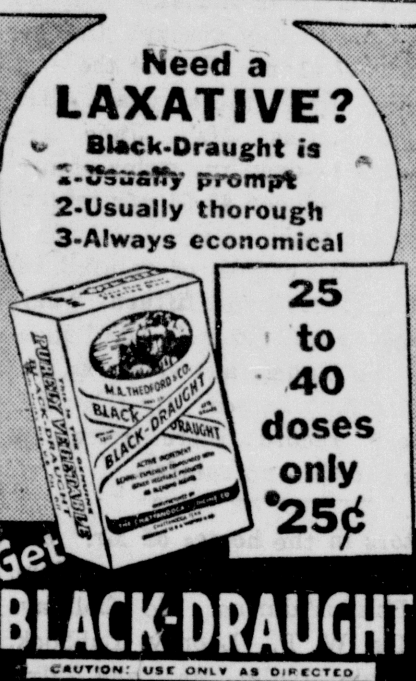
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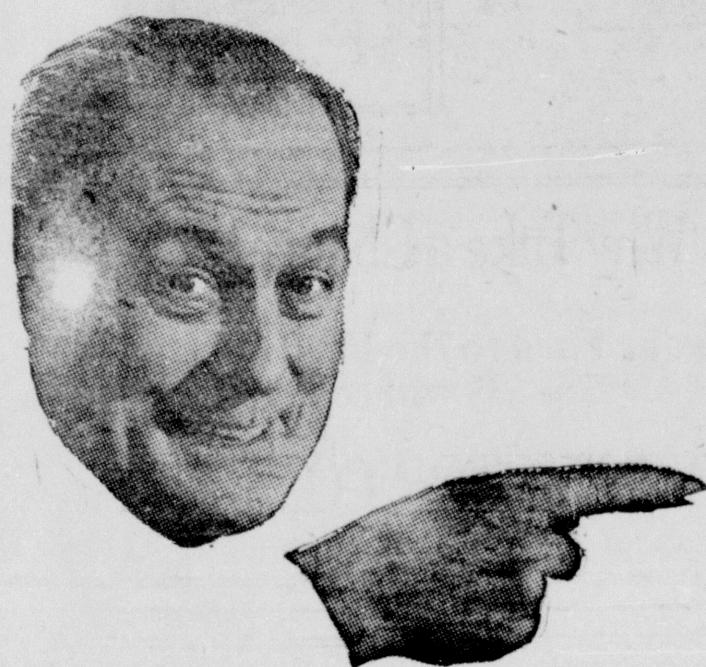


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\$11.95 and \$12.50 Anniversary Sale \$8.95  
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### POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

Down in the city of McCalley nestled in the mesquite brush of Fisher County the inhabitants are "snowed in." Horse backers are numerous, kids slide and fall on the icy streets, school is out for lack of pupils and not enough gas pressure. Ten inches of snow covers the community, cattle are lowing and the horses neigh for something to eat. Chickens have been on the roost for a week—and no egg production—two cold for such an ordeal. And while the cats under the house are "spooning," the dogs continually bark at the snow man in the front yard. Such is life in a one-horse town in a severe winter.

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in Abilene. The roads were dangerous and covered in ice, so they decided to spend the night. Only to all hotels proved no vacancies. At last a room as found in a private home. The woman asked \$10 for the room for one night—with no heat. As a result the Hendersons drove home. Abilene folks got another black eye. What gratitude! It all goes to prove that man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn.

E. C. Waldrop is going into the wholesale gas and oil business in McCaulley after six years as Fisher County commissioner. More about the set-up later.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Hodnett of Neida spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miers.

Mrs. J. W. Maberry and Kenneth Jack Haughey were in a hospital at Rotan last week due to a car wreck at Hamlin. Both are recovering.

Honoring Mrs. J. L. Maberry on Sunday night, December 29, her children and grandchildren gave a supper in her home. Those present were Mrs. Pearl Gallile of San Antonio, Mrs. Della Smith, Lloyd Smith and wife and son of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Stevens, Alton, Grover Seaton, two daughters and son of Rotan, Laverne Allison and baby of Big Spring Mr. and Mrs. Dave Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blakely, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farrow and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Maberry, Jim Harris and J. W. Maberry, all of McCaulley.

John Horugthy of Fort Worth spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Maberry. Also visiting in the same home Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sherrill and Mrs. Bedford of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Stevens and son of Anson and J. W. Maberry of McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maberry, her brother, Luther Parker of Los Angeles, California, enjoyed the holidays in the home of J. O. Parker at Hamlin.

J. W. Rash of this city and Georgia Patterson of Eastland were united in marriage in Abilene one day last week. They will make their home at Abilene, where J. W. is employed with an oil company.

Folks who have read the Pot-Shots for all these years are complaining about the column not appearing on the usual back page. All we can say is "jump on" the new editor. If names are misspelled, etc., again jump on the new editor. Folks have been in our hair long enough.

Only got one pair of sox Christmas, whereas we usually get enough to last the year. But we did get the brightest red tie you ever saw; in fact, so red that a white-faced bull chased us to the depot and back.

### DAUGHTER BEATS MOTHER

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perhaps thinking the scribe was a madman. In this column three weeks ago we predicted that Odessa High would win the state championship and that Hardin-Simmons University would defeat Denver University by three touchdowns. How about it, folks? Crystal gazing is no bad hobby, eh? One stockman in this vicinity has lost 150 head of cattle thus far in the severe week of winter. Perhaps many more will die before the skies are clear.

Thanks to E. A. Lawlis for a year's subscription to The Herald. He says it's either subscribe or leave home. He didn't choose to run!

Grandmother Jayroe from Lamesa is visiting in the home of Mrs. Vera Jayroe and family. Mrs. Jayroe came to McCaulley to escape the cold of the Plains and ran smack into our worst winter in years.

**Employment Officer**

James W. Mayfield, a native of the Nienda community, ad an empoly-ee of the Texas Unemployment Commission for three years, is now manager of the Abilene office of the Texas Employment Service. He succeeds O. R. Rodden, who has entered business in Salem, Oregon.

**Snowbound Here**

Mrs. J. A. Wilhite and children, Kay and Bobbie, left here Tuesday for their home in Harlingen after being snowbound here, where they spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. L. S. Magee. The snow was quite a treat for the Rio Grande Valley residents.

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# Thanks A Lot For Your Patience

We would be selfish and ungrateful if we did not express our appreciation to our many customers who were so thoughtful, understanding and cooperative during the time we were unable to operate our plant because of the necessity to conserve natural gas while this section was gripped in last week's cold wave.

We were able to operate only a few hours during two or three nights, and although the snow has melted, we are still "snowed under" an accumulation of laundry bundles. We hope to be operating on a normal schedule within a few days and ask that you bear with us. Again, we say "Thanks A Lot for Your Patience."

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